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(c) Section 12 of the National Trust Act, 1999 provides that any association of persons with disability or any association of parents of persons with disability or a voluntary organization, whose main object is promotion of welfare of persons with disabilities, may make an application for registration to the Board. The application for registration is to be made in Form E, which is prescribed in the National Trust Rules. The National Trust after due enquiries will grant registration to the organization. A one-time fee of Rs. 500/- has been kept for registration of such organization.

MR. CHAIRMAN: Please take your seats. ...*(Interruptions)*....
First supplementary. ...*(Interruptions)*... Please take your seats.
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WRITTEN ANSWERS TO STARRED QUESTIONS

NGOs Working in J and K

*321. MIRZA ABDUL RASHID: Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the names of NGOs working in the State of Jammu & Kashmir and being funded by Government;

(b) the amount of grant sanctioned by Government in favour of each such NGOs and their areas of work and activities; and

(c) the measures taken by Government to ensure transparency in the working and financial management of these NGOs?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SHRIMATI MANEKA GANDHI): (a) and (b) The amount of grant sanctioned by the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment and the areas of work and activities of the NGOs working in the State of Jammu and Kashmir are as under:

S.No	Name of the Organisation with address	Project area	Amount sanctioned (Rs. in lakhs)	
			1999-2000	2000-01
1.	Rotary Inner wheel Home for the Mentally Retarded Children, (Bal-Utthan Bhavan), 63/2, Trikuta Nagar, Jammu-110012	Home for Mentally Retarded Children	3.24	1.50
2.	Jammu Red Cross Home for Handicapped, Udhola, Jammu Post, Suryanhan,	Home for Handicapped	—	2.74
3.	Society for the Promotion of Youth and Masses, Mashwara Hospital, Purkhoo Road, P.O. Dumana, Kahnoo Road, Jammu	De-addiction Centre	6.61	7.13
4.	H.N.S.S. De-addiction Centre, Meera Masjid, Khanyar, Srinagar	De-addiction Centre	3.51	7.41
5.	Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam Welfare Society, Neha Ghar, Kahhi Chawani Jammu (Tawi)	Street Children Project	7.75	5.36
6.	Kashmir Foundation Peace and Development Studies (KFPDS) SHMAS House, Gogji Bagh, Srinagar	Computer Training	—	3.21
7.	Social Welfare of India Organisation, Shahdora Sharief Rajouri, Jammu & Kashmir.	Mobile Medicare Unit-2	4.95	8.26
8.	Majlisum Nisa J & K Sapore, Baramula, Jammu & Kashmir	Old Age Home	—	1.35
9.	Ess Dee Educational Society, 78/A Gole Pulli Talab Tillo Jammu-553010	Computer training	—	2.70
10.	Kalamkari Centre, Upper Floura P.O. Jammu	Mobile Dispensary	1.99	—
11.	Mahila Vikas Kendra, H.O. EP-74, Lakhdara Bazar Jammu Tawi-180001, J&K	Craft centre	—	1.38

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12.	Center for Slum Development, Computer training NAC Building, Main Bazar, Pulwama		—	3.04
13.	Hilal Institute, near General Bus Stand, Anantnag	Pre-examination Coaching for weaker section	1.80	0.45
14.	SPCA Jammu, R.S. Pura Road, Gandhigarh Jammu	Ambulance & Shelter	13.01	—

(c) To ensure transparency in the working and financial management of these NGOs, (i) periodical inspections are carried out through officers of this Ministry, Designated Agencies and the nodal departments of the State Government. (ii) To elicit relevant physical and financial performance indicators, the Ministry has also issued fresh formats for applications for grants as well as for reporting of work done by these NGOs. (iii) Details of releases made are made available in the Ministry's website (socialjustice.nic.in). giving full publicity to releases made to NGOs. Members of Parliament, State Governments and District Magistrates have also been furnished district-wise lists of NGOs assisted by the Ministry in the last two years. (iv) Besides the above, it is mandatory for all grantee organizations to submit utilization certificates before release of further installments to them.

Installation of Ramps at World Heritage Sites for Disabled Persons

*323. SHRIMATI JAYAPRADA NAHATA:
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Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether her Ministry has taken up with the Archaeological Survey of India to install ramps at all world heritage sites and also at 34 national monuments for assisting disabled persons; and

(b) if so, the response received, so far?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SHRIMATI MANEKA GANDHI): (a) and (b) The Ministry of Social Justice and